

IRELAND (INTIMIDATION).

PROCLAMATION

BY

THE LORDS JUSTICES AND GENERAL GOVERNORS
OF IRELAND,

DATED 14TH OCTOBER, 1881,

WARNING

ALL PERSONS THAT CERTAIN FORMS OF INTIMIDATION PRACTISED IN MANY
PARTS OF IRELAND ARE UNLAWFUL AND CRIMINAL, AND THAT ANY
PERSON ENGAGING IN OR INCITING TO THEM IS LIABLE TO
ARREST AND IMPRISONMENT.

Presented to both Houses of Parliament by Command of Her Majesty.



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A PROCLAMATION.

By the Lords Justices-General and General Governors of Ireland.

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EDWARD SULLIVAN, M.R.

WHEREAS in many parts of Ireland an organised system of intimidation is practised, whereby divers of Her Majesty's subjects, under apprehension of violence to their persons or properties, or deprivation of the necessities of life, or loss of business, are coerced—

- To give up their lawful employments ;
- To abandon their lawful occupations and pursuits ;
- To abstain from the payment of rents lawfully due by them, or the fulfilment of other their lawful engagements ;
- To become members of or subscribe to the funds of an Association commonly known as the Land League ; or
- To abstain from doing what they have a legal right to do ; or to do what they have a legal right to abstain from doing :

Now We do hereby warn all persons, that all such practices of intimidation are unlawful and criminal, and that any person engaging in any of such practices, or inciting thereto, is liable to be arrested and imprisoned.

Dated at Dublin Castle, this 14th day of October, 1881.

By Their Excellencies' Command,

W. E. FORSTER.

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